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**PATENT** JAN 17 2006 ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 042715-5011 HE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Application of: Confirmation No.: 4226 Yoshinobu FUJIWARA Group Art Unit: 2646 Application No.: 10/689,839 Examiner: R. Singh Filed: October 22, 2003 TELEPHONE TERMINAL EQUIPMENT Mail Stop RCE For: INTERFACE CIRCUIT Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents **Customer Window** Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314 Sir: REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 1. Previously submitted: Please consider the amendments/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously (Any unentered amendments referred to above will be entered). Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief 10689839 00000160 500310 Other: 01 FC:1801 790.00 DA 02 FC:1251 120.00 DA

Amendment Accompanying Request for Continued Examination

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Enclosed:

Other:

Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

Information Disclosure Statement Form 1449 (1 reference attached)

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2.	Miscellaneous							
		Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)						
		Other:						
3.	Fees	Calculation						
	(a)	RCE Fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)  State   \$790.00  \$395.00 (for small entity)						
	(b)	Extension of Time  Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.						
			Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked be					
		Total Months Requested	Fee for Extension	Fee for Small Entity				
		one month two months three months four months five months	\$ 120.00 \$ 450.00 \$1,020.00 \$1,590.00 \$2,160.00	\$ 60.00 \$225.00 \$510.00 \$795.00 \$1,080.00				

Accordingly, the extension of time fee due with this request is: \$120.00.

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## Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	4	minus	20	0	x \$50 each=	+ \$0.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R.§1.16(b))	1	minus	3	0	x \$200 each=	+ \$0.00
[] First presentation of Multiple dependent claim(s) \$280.00						
SUB-TOTAL =						\$0.00
Reduction by ½ for filing by a small entity					- \$0.00	
TOTAL FEE =					\$0.00	

4.	Fee	Payment
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	Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$
$\boxtimes$	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the Deposit Account No. 50-0310 the total amount of \$910.00 (\$790.00 for the RCE filing fee and \$120.00 for one-month extension of time fee).

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EXCEPT for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 17, 2006

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